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In re application of

Lingshiao WANG et al.

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For: BANDWIDTH SHARING USING EMULATED WEIGHTED FAIR QUEUING

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, between the title and the first heading, insert the following paragraph:

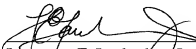
--This application claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application No. 60/236,166
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REMARKS

Reference to the previously-filed provisional application is made of record in the
specification.

Respectfully submitted,

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